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(57) Abstract: A system and method are provided to allow a user of a cellular device to participate in lottery drawings over a cellular network. The method may include, for example, providing a central lottery computer for providing data related to lottery drawings, providing a cellular drawing center linked to the cellular network and to the central lottery computer, the cellular drawing center to be used for mediating between a cellular device and the central lottery computer; dialing, via the cellular device, an access code for accessing the cellular drawing center, identifying, by the cellular drawing center, the phone number assigned to the cellular device and executing a recorded instruction for aiding the user of the cellular device to execute the selection required in order to participate in one or more of the lottery drawings, submitting a confirmation message, optionally including details of the lottery drawings in which the user is participating, to the cellular device for reporting to the user, and/or charging and/or crediting the user via the billing system of the cellular network.

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